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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C.

In the Matter of

Amendment of Section 73.202(b)
Table of Allotments
FM Broadcast Stations
(Cross Plains, Texas et al.)

To: The Allocations Branch
Policy and Rules Division
Mass Media Bureau

MM Docket No. 98-198

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REPLY COMMENTS AND COUNTERPROPOSAL

Wagonwheel Broadcasting of Santa Anna ("Wagonwheel"), by counsel, pursuant to the Commission Public Notice, Released on July 21, 1999, Report No. 2346 and 47 CFR §1.415, hereby files its *Reply Comments and Counterproposal* in the above-referenced proceeding. In support thereof, the following is stated.

1. On December 10, 1998, Wagonwheel filed a *Petition for Rulemaking* seeking to allot Channel 290C2 to the community of Santa Anna,

Texas as its first aural service. Since the filing of the petition, this proceeding has grown in complexity, requiring Wagonwheel to direct its resources to litigating matters which are counterproductive to bringing a new FM service to the Santa Anna community. As a result, Wagonwheel hereby counterproposes a new wide area FM on Channel 288C3 instead of Channel 290C2 and requests that its proposal be severed from the instant rule making.

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- 2. The counterproposal of Channel 288C3 at Santa Anna is superior to the Channel 290C2 proposal since it will not impact on any of the proposals advanced in this proceeding and can be allotted immediately to the Santa Anna, Texas community. See, Channel Study attached hereto as Exhibit 1.
- 3. If the Commission assigns Channel 288C3 to Santa Anna, Texas, Wagonwheel will apply for a construction permit and will construct a new facility upon award of that permit.

WHEREFORE, in accordance with the above, Wagonwheel Broadcasting of Santa Anna respectfully requests that its original counterproposal be modified to propose that Channel 288C3 to be assigned to Santa Anna, Texas and that its proposal be severed from the instant rule making.

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Wagonwheel Broadcasting of Santa Anna Reply Comments and Counterproposal August 3, 1999

EXHIBIT 1

Wagonwheel Broadcasting of Santa Anna FREQUENCY MODULATION STUDY

Proposed 288 C3 Santa Anna Texas

REFERENCE DISPLAY DATES
31 37 38 N CLASS = C3 DATA 07-30-99
99 20 03 W Current Spacings SEARCH 08-02-99
------ Channel 288 - 105.5 MHz -----

Call	Channel	Location		Dist	Azi	FCC	Margin
AD290 AD KYUL LI KEANFM CF KEANFM LI AD290 AD AD290 AD	288C2 286C1 286C1 286C1 290C3 290C3	Santa Anna Harker Heights Abilene Abilene Crossplains Cross Plains Crossplains	TX	12.70 177.05 76.05 76.06 57.24 57.24	3.1 113.3 341.3 341.3 13.8 13.8 13.8	56.0 177.0 76.0 76.0 43.0 43.0	-43.30 0.05 0.05 0.06 14.24 14.24
KMDX.C CP KEANFM CP	289C3	San Angelo Abilene	TX TX	119.19 100.22	260.0 335.9	99.0 76.0	20.19

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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